WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. Guide rails for conveying a band-form member comprising a pair of guide rails that are disposed facing each other so as to guide both sides of a band-form member, wherein said guide rails are comprised of rail main bodies and guide assemblies, said guide assemblies being provided on upper surfaces of said rail main bodies so as to partially guide an upper surface of said band-form member.

2. The guide rails according to Claim 1, wherein said guide assemblies are comprised of width-direction guide elements which are provided on said rail main bodies at fixed intervals in a conveying direction of said band-form member so as to guide said band-form member in a width direction thereof, and vertical-direction guide elements which are provided on said width-direction guide elements so as to guide said band-form member in a vertical direction thereof.